

Extended School Year Services

- **Extended School Year Services are necessary if:**
- The benefits that the child gains during the regular school year would be significantly jeopardized if the child is not provided educational services
- The child would experience severe or substantial regression if not provided educational services during recess or the summer months
- The regression would result in substantial skill loss of a degree and duration that would seriously impede the child's progress on educational goals.
- **Consideration of Extended School Year Services must:**
- Take into account LRE consideration and determined no later than 45 calendar days prior to the last day of school.
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- **ESY Service must be based on the following criteria:**
- Retrospective data, such as past regression and rate of recoupment
- Predictive data, when empirical data is not available, must be proven by expert opinion based on a professional individual assessment
- **ESY cannot be based on:**
- Daycare or respite care service
- Program to maximize academic potential
- Summer recreation Program
- **Further:**
- Participation is not compulsory
- ESY is not required for all children with disabilities

For More Information see Arizona Technical Assistance document
www.ade.az.gov/ess/publications/ESYAzTAS.pdf